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In re Application of:

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND
CERTIFICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH 37 CFR §1.97(e)**

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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §§ 1.56 and 1.97-1.99, the documents listed on the attached Form(s) PTO/SB/08A are being brought to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application. Copies of all documents are submitted herewith. No translations are provided for documents AA and AB, as no translations are within the possession, custody or control of, or are readily available to any individual designated in 37 CFR 1.56(c). See MPEP 609.

The patents and publications listed on Form PTO/SB/08A were cited in an Official Action issued not more than three months ago in a counterpart Chinese patent application.

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Both of the documents were cited in the Official Action (Notification of Reexamination) issued in a counterpart Chinese patent application. Copies of the Chinese Official Action and a translation thereof are submitted herewith.

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CONCLUSION

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Respectfully submitted,

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